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EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed. With the exception of egregious errors, content (including spelling, grammar, and punctuation) of these orders has been reproduced as submitted.

* NATIONAL ANTHEM DAY *

[M09-327]

WHEREAS, "The Star Spangled Banner" was adopted as the National Anthem of the United States of America in 1931 by an Act of Congress; and

WHEREAS, recent surveys indicate that many Americans have limited knowledge of the origin of "The Star Spangled Banner," its author, words, or significance; and

WHEREAS, the study of American heritage through music inspired by important moments in our nation's history is basic to a complete education; and

WHEREAS, patriotic songs taught in schools across Arizona and the nation provide lessons and tales of our history and promote our heritage.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 14, 2009 as

* NATIONAL ANTHEM DAY *

and encourage all Arizonans to celebrate the history of "The Star Spangled Banner" and learn more about the events surrounding the creation of our great nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this third day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* U.S. MARSHALS DAY *

[M09-332]

WHEREAS, the Act entitled "An Act to establish the Judicial Court of the United States," approved September 24, 1789, directed the appointment of United States Marshals and launched the United States Marshals Service; and

WHEREAS, during 220 years of service, United States Marshals have executed warrants, distributed presidential proclamations, registered enemy aliens in time of war, helped conduct the national census, protected the President and the Federal courts, provided for the custody and transportation of Federal prisoners, and maintained and disposed of seized and forfeited properties; and

WHEREAS, the United States Marshals have also ensured the safe conduct of judicial proceedings, protected Federal judges and jurors and other members of the Federal judiciary, provided for the security of witnesses and directed and coordinated fugitive task forces to apprehend dangerous fugitives; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Service's national history, the Office for the Territory of Arizona was established on February

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24, 1863, followed with the June 20, 1910 creation of a District of Arizona, which subsequently became effective on February 14, 1912; and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the United States Marshals Service have bravely served our Great Nation and State with a dedication to justice, honor and integrity.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 24, 2009 as

* U.S. MARSHALS DAY *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this third day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* YOUTH SOCCER MONTH *

[M09-333]

WHEREAS, collectively, our nation strives to encourage greatness and achievement in our young people; and

WHEREAS, interest and participation in the sport of soccer is at its highest point ever among our nation's youth with many of the children in our community participating in local soccer leagues; and

WHEREAS, soccer provides a great foundation and offers skills for a lifetime; and

WHEREAS, Youth Soccer Month seeks to encourage the values of physical fitness, sportsmanship, and family.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of September 2009 as

* YOUTH SOCCER MONTH *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this third day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* DINE 4 AZ DAY *

[M09-326_]

WHEREAS, Arizona's dynamic and widely-diverse restaurant industry contains more than 8,700 eating and drinking establishments; and

WHEREAS, Arizona's restaurants will contribute \$8.7 billion in sales in 2009 to our state's economy, ensuring that more public services can be provided to add to the quality of life for our residents; and

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WHEREAS, by dining at one of Arizona's local restaurants, you support an economic engine that steadily contributes to the vitality of our great state; and

WHEREAS, for each additional \$1 million spent in restaurants and bars in Arizona an additional 26 jobs are created; and

WHEREAS, Arizona's restaurant industry will continue to be a critical ingredient to the state's economy, driving valuable dollars for the tourism, restaurant and hospitality industries.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 10, 2009 as

* DINE 4 AZ DAY *

and encourage all Arizonans to nourish our economy by dining out at one of our state's great restaurants.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighth day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* ACTIVE AGING WEEK *

[M09-335]

WHEREAS, Active Aging Week is an annual health promotion event for older adults, their families and friends that allows participants to experience activities and exercise in a safe, friendly and fun atmosphere; and

WHEREAS, the key messages of Active Aging Week encourage seniors to choose an active life to stay mentally and physically healthy as they age; and

WHEREAS, there are 1.1 million adults 65 years and older living in Arizona, and it is in the best interest of each individual and of the State to help all seniors stay as healthy and independent as possible; and

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona is committed to providing quality services to seniors, including health and leisure services, and Active Aging Week events, including community walks, health fairs and health lectures; and

WHEREAS, older adults who are physically and mentally healthy, contribute to the State as volunteers, mentors and role models; and

WHEREAS, Active Aging Week supports the State's aging population, which is our fastest growing population segment, and activities are hosted at multiple sites across the state by private and government organizations working together for the mutual goal of improving the health and well-being of the State's older citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 21-27, 2009 as

* ACTIVE AGING WEEK *

and encourage all citizens to recognize the value of active aging for older adults and participate in the week's events.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer

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GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this ninth day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* CARE ENOUGH TO WEAR PINK DAYS *

[M09-336]

WHEREAS, Guardians of the Ribbon Inc. is an Arizona non-profit organization consisting of firefighters, police officers and leaders in the community whose sole purpose is raising awareness for the fight against cancer; and

WHEREAS, in September 2007 the "Pink Heals Tour" began, encouraging public safety professionals, local leaders and citizens throughout the community to wear pink in honor of all women and to join forces to help them in their fight against cancer; and

WHEREAS, the spirit of this campaign is to fight for those who have lost the ability to fight for themselves; asking for public support and raising understanding and awareness to all citizens; and

WHEREAS, anything is possible when good people devote themselves to a cause that does so much good and benefits so many; and

WHEREAS, the "Cares Enough to Wear Pink" campaign honors all women and recognizes the need to come together as a collective group and help with the fight against cancer, reminding future generations that people who are not affected by an illness can come together for those who are.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 25-27, 1009 as

* CARE ENOUGH TO WEAR PINK DAYS *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this tenth day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State